GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Sri M. Venkata Ramudu, formerly Mandal Agricultural Officer, Gooty, O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (R) Gooty. Ananthapur District and others – Initiation of departmental actions u/r 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 read with under common proceedings u/r 24 of A.P.C.S. (CC&A) Rules, 1991 - Article of charge – Issued.

AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (VIG I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 441

Dated: 23 -07-2014. Read the following:-

1.From the C&DA, Hyd. Lr.No.Vig.IV(2)12/13, dated:04-02-2014

2. Govt. Memo.No.14504/Vig.I-1/2012, dated:23 -07-1024.

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ORDER:-

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against the said Sri M. Venkata Ramudu, formerly Mandal Agricultural Officer, Gooty, O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (R) Gooty Ananthapur District in accordance with procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

- 2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of Article of Charges (Annexure-I). A list of witnesses by whom, and a list of documents by which the articles of charge are proposed to be sustained are enclosed (Annexure-II and III).
- 3. Sri . M. Venkata Ramudu, formerly Mandal Agricultural Officer, Gooty, O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (R) Gooty Ananthapur District is directed to submit within 15 days of the receipt of this G.O. a written statement of his defence and also to state whether he desires to be heard in person.
- 4. Sri.M. Venkata Ramudu, formerly Mandal Agricultural Officer, Gooty, Office of the Assistant Director of Agriculture (R) Gooty Ananthapur District is further informed that an Inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charge as are not admitted. He should therefore, specifically admit or deny the article of charge.
- 5. Sri. M. Venkata Ramudu, formerly Mandal Agricultural Officer, Gooty, O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (R) Gooty Ananthapur District is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para-3 above, further action will be processed based on the material available.

(P.T.O)

- 6. Attention of Sri M. Venkata Ramudu, formerly MAO, Gooty, O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (R) Gooty Ananthapur District is invited to rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government servant shall bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt with in these proceedings it will be presumed that Sri. M. Venkata Ramudu, formerly MAO, Gooty, O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (R) Gooty Ananthapur District is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of rule 24 of the A. P. Civil Service (Conduct) Rules, 1964.
- 7. The receipt of this G.O. shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ANIL CHANDRA PUNETHA PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri .M. Venkata Ramudu, formerly MAO, Gooty, O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (R) Gooty Ananthapur District (through the C&DA, Hyderabad.)

Copy to:

The C&DA., Hyderabad with a request to serve the order on the charged officer and return the served copy with dated ack., SC/Sf.

// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

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ANNEXURE - I

STATEMENT OF ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI
.M.VENKATA RAMUDU, FORMERLY MANDAL AGRIL.OFFICER, GOOTY,
O/O THE ASST. DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE, (REGULAR)
GOOTY,ANANTAPUR DIST.

Article of Charge – I:

That the said Sri M. Venkata Ramudu, while working as Mandal Agricultural Officer, Gooty, Office of the Assistant Director of Agriculture (R) Gooty, he has not estimated requirement of seed, based on the left over black soil area for Rabi season and distributed the entire seed allotted by the Joint Director of Agriculture, Ananthapur to that mandal based on the VRO's certificate. He failed to reconcile the area sown of Bengal gram crop during Rabi, 2009-10 and lack of his supervision in some of the sale counter in charges given permits without presence of the actual farmers. Thus he has not performed his legitimate duties properly and violated the rule 3 of APCS (Conduct) Rules – 1964.

Article of Charge – II:

That the said Sri M. Venkata Ramudu, formerly MAO, Gooty, O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (R) Gooty, he has not properly verified the arrivals of the seed in the Godown of ARSK, Gooty through the above delivery order and truck as it proved as Jeep. His inaction gives scope for fake Truck Transaction and Utilization Certificate issued by him lead to false claim of subsidy. Thus he shown slackness in supervision and violated the rule 3 of APCS (Conduct) Rules – 1964.

Basis of Charges:

Based on the allegations recommended in Inquiry report of Director General (Vig & Ent) & E.O. Prl. Secretary to Government, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

ANIL CHANDRA PUNETHA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

SECTION OFFICER

ANNEXURE – II

List of documents by which article of charges framed against Sri M. Venkata Ramudu, formerly Mandal Agricultural Officer, Gooty, Office of the Assistant Director of Agriculture (R) Gooty, Ananthapur Dist.

1) Vigilance Inquiry report No.90 (C.No.389/V&E(Dev-II)/D1/2011) Dt:01-11-2012 of the Director General (Vig & Ent) & E.O. Prl. Secretary to Government, A.P. Hyderabad.

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ANNEXURE - III

List of witness by whom the article of charges framed against Sri M. Venkata Ramudu, formerly Mandal Agricultural Officer, Gooty, Office of the Assistant Director of Agriculture (R) Gooty, Ananthapur Dist.

- 1) Smt. N.P.Aparna, Management trainee, A.P MARKFED, Khammam.
- 2) Sri S. Sudhakar Reddy, ARSK, Gooty.
- 3) Sri M. Krishna Murthy, formerly Asst. Director of Agriculture (R) Gooty.

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